





June 2011



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ACTIVATIONS

- FEMA Region VII activated ESF 11 on May 24, 2011 in response to severe Tornado in Joplin, Missouri and to support Severe Storms, Tornadoes and Flooding. ESF 11 coordination has focused on household pet sheltering support, Emerald Ash Borer Quarantine impacted area, and wildlife nuisance issues.
- FEMA Region VIII activated ESF 11 on May 26, 2011 for flooding in South Dakota and on June 1st for Flooding in North Dakota. ESF 11 coordination has focused on food and housing support and animal issues to include household pets, zoo animals, and livestock.

TRAINING

Denver

- The ESF11 Coordinator in FEMA Region I provided ESF11 Desk Officer Seminar for APHIS, FSIS, FNS and DOI at FEMA Region I RRCC on June 1, 2011.
- The ESF 11 Coordinator in Region V provided ESF 11 Training, Des Plaines, IL, June 28, 2011.

EXERCISES

- The ESF11 Coordinator in FEMA Region I conducted ESF11 Desk Officer Functional Exercise at FEMA Region I RRCC on June 2, 2011
- The ESF11 Coordinator in FEMA Region IV attended the USACE Hurricane Response and Recovery Workshop/exercise June 2, 2011.

EXERCISES

- ESF 11 Coordinator in FEMA Region IX participated in a Foot and Mouth Disease Exercise with APHIS Veterinary Services and the California Department of Food and Agriculture in Sacramento, CA on June 13-14, 2011.
- ESF 11 Coordinator in FEMA Region X participated in the Evergreen Quake 2012 Exercise Series and Cascadia Seduction Zone Earthquake on June 15-17, 2011.
- The ESF11 Coordinator in FEMA Region IV attended the Augusta-Richmond County ESF11 tabletop exercise June 22, 2011.
- Eastern Region ESF11 Coordinators participated in Eagle Horizon Exercise on June 23, 2011.
- ESF 11 Coordinator in FEMA Region X participated in EPA's Regional Radiation exercise in Seattle, WA on June 28, 2011.
- The ESF11 Coordinator in FEMA Region I assisted FEMA in planning the Air Operations Unit training and exercise on June 29, 2011.

CURRENT PROJECTS

- The ESF11 Coordinator in FEMA Region I assisting Massachusetts Emergency Management Agency on a series of Animal Sheltering Exercises.
- The ESF11 Coordinator in FEMA Region I is assisting with planning the FEMA Air Operations Unit training and exercise.
- Western region is working with APHIS Information Technology Division and PPQ program IT staff to develop after-hours IT support during ESF 11 activations.







York

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CURRENT PROJECTS

ESF in FEMA Region VI led review of emergency plans with Federal and State government, non-profit, and private industry officials to synchronize federal-state plans with state agencies. Provided stakeholders with review of Stafford Act incidents, processing of federal technical assistance requests from state, and guestion of "who pays" Denton, TX.

ESF 11 coordinator met with EPA Region IX Emergency Response Team re Food Safety Modernization Act. EPA detailed writing carcass disposal plan as described in the Food Act; region understands EPA leads plan development, USDA leads response San Francisco, CA 6/6

OTHER

- ESF 11 supported curriculum development with UC Davis + CA Emergency Management for livestock/animal rescue, animal emergency response, and veterinary response teams.
- The ESF11 Coordinator in FEMA Region I participated in FEMA Region I Flood Planning Meeting on June 13, 2011.
- The ESF11 Coordinator in FEMA Region I participated in FEMA Region I RISC Meeting on June 15, 2011.
- The ESF11 Coordinator in FEMA Region II developed and disseminated the new and improved Eastern Region ESF11 Newsletter News@11